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Claims are allowable as the removal of the methylene from the compounds of Rogers will change the rigidity of the molecules and would have not been obvious. A compound with an amide attached directly to a ring is not obvious over a compound with an amide attached indirectly to a ring by an alkylene group.		

### INTERFERENCE SEARCH

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